

MARINE CORPS EMERGENCY ACTIONS CENTER
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SUMMARY OF ITEMS OF SIGNIFICANT INTEREST

PERIOD 120701 - 130700 NOVEMBER 1962

1. CARIBBEAN

a. JCS REQUESTED CINCLANT, CINCSAC AND CINCNORAD TO SUBMIT BY 121700R NOVEMBER A BRIEF STATEMENT OF IMPACT OF CONTINUATION OF CURRENT ALERT POSTURE IN TERMS OF:

- (1) DEGRADATION OF READINESS
- (2) HARDSHIP ON PERSONNEL

JCS 122031Z (TS)

b. CG, FMFLANT SITREP AS OF 122400Z REPORTED THE 5TH MEB DEPLOYED FOR TRAINING AS TWO UNITS:

c. (1) UNIT ALPHA (STRENGTH 5,400) CONDUCTING TRAINING/UPKEEP VIEQUES 13-22 NOVEMBER.

c. (2) UNIT BRAVO (STRENGTH 5,000) TO CONDUCT TRAINING/UPKEEP VIEQUES 23 NOVEMBER-2 DECEMBER.

c. NAVY FLAG PLOT REPORTS 5TH MEB UNIT ALPHA ETA VIEQUES AREA 130500R.

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(EAC NOTE: THE 5TH MEB UNIT NOT DEPLOYED FOR TRAINING WILL REMAIN WITHIN 24 HOURS SAILING TIME GJA (TANAMO).

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NAVY FLAG PLOT TELECON 130100R (

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c. CINCLANT HAS REQUESTED JCS APPROVAL TO CONDUCT JOINT AFLANT/ARLANT EXERCISES TO REHEARSE DEPLOYMENT AND SIMULATED EMPLOYMENT PHASES OF CINCLANT OPLAN 316. FIRST EXERCISE TO BEGIN 19 NOVEMBER FOR ABOUT 5 DAYS, WITH ADDITIONAL EXERCISES TO FOLLOW ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

THESE EXERCISES WILL USE RESERVE AND MATS AIRCRAFT TO AIRLIFT PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT ALONG ACTUAL 316 DEPLOYMENT ROUTES TO STAGING BASES. AIRCRAFT WILL THEN FLY SIMULATED 316 EMPLOYMENT ROUTES TO VICINITY OF FT BRAGG AND FT CAMPBELL FOR AIR DROP OF ONE BATTLE GROUP.

CINCLANT 121402Z (S)

d. CG, FMFLANT RECOMMENDED TO CINCLANTFLT THAT THE CLASS VI(A) 1ST RESUPPLY REQUIREMENTS FOR 5TH MEB IN SUPPORT OF THE 2 PACOM VMA SQUADRONS BE FILLED, EARMARKED AND MADE AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCY SHIPMENT.

THESE STOCKS TO BE RETAINED IN THEIR PRESENT LOCATION SINCE 100 PER CENT FILL AND REPOSITIONING WOULD DEGRADE PACFLT CAPABILITY TO SUPPORT OTHER CONTINGENCIES REQUIRING VMA PARTICIPATION.

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3. VMA-121 WITH 20 A4C (A4D-2N) AIRCRAFT WILL DEPART MCAS, EL TORO 13 NOVEMBER. ETA CECIL FIELD 140130Z.

4. CG, FMFLANT SITREP AS OF 122400Z REPORTS THAT VMA-1 WILL CHOP TO AFLANT AND ASSUME ALERT AT NAS, CECIL FIELD, FLORIDA 152200Z.

5. CG, FMFLANT FURTHER REPORTS THAT MAG-31 WILL ESTABLISH A DETACHMENT OF 6 F-8B (F8U-2N) AIRCRAFT AT KEY WEST 15 NOVEMBER AS RELIEF FOR VF-32 DETACHMENT.

MARATKRON 121 122300Z (C)
CG FMFLANT 130125Z (S)

2. ASIA

a. JCS INFORMED CINCPAC THAT CHIEF OF STAFF, U. S. ARMY HAS INITIATED ACTION TO PROCURE ARMAMENT KITS FOR INSTALLATION ON HU-1B HELICOPTERS. TWENTY HELICOPTERS ARE BEING FITTED FOR IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT TO SOUTH VIETNAM. ADDITIONAL ARMAMENT KITS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO COMUSMACV EARLY 1963.

JCS 122058Z (S)

3. DEFCONS

a. NO CHANGE.

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CURRENT MARINE CORPS DEPLOYMENTS

LANDING GROUP WEST (TG 129.1)

WAGEN WIESEMAN CG 2D MarSib aboard MT MCKINLEY - MAYPORT
 BOEN COMPTON ADC 2D MarDiv aboard FRANCIS MARION - CHARLEST

BLT 2/6	Aboard PHIBRON-6	50 MI SE CAMEL NC
BLT 3/6	Aboard PHIBRON-8	50 MI E MAYPORT
BLT 2/8	Aboard PHIBRON-2	MAYPORT
BLT 3/8	Aboard PHIBRON-10	MAYPORT
BLT 3/2	Aboard PHIBRON-12	CHARLESTON
BLT 1/6	Aboard OKINAWA (LPH-3)	MAYPORT

LANDING GROUP WEST AVIATION (TG 129.3)

BOEN COURSEY AWG 2D 1A-7 aboard MT MCKINLEY - MAYPORT

PROV MAG-26

HMM-264	Aboard OKINAWA (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
HMM-261	Aboard OKINAWA (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
Det VMC-1	Aboard OKINAWA (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
HMM-261	Aboard THIRTY EASY (LPH-6)	MAYPORT
HMM-263	Aboard BOXER (LPH-4)	MAYPORT

MAG-14

KEY WEST (Presently under CPCON CINCAFALANT and
 831st AIR DIVISION)

VMA-242
 VMA-533
 VMA-324
 VMFAW-122
 Det VMCIJ-2

Det VMCIJ-2 CECIL FIELD, JACKSONVILLE - CPCON COMNAVAVIANT

3D LAAW BN (-) MCAS CHERRY POINT

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13 NOV 196

BGEN COLLINS

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LEEWARD SIDE

BLT 2/2
Hq MAG-32
Det VMA-331
Det H&MS-26
Det VMF-333

WINDWARD SIDE

BLT 2/1
"C" Btry 3d LAAM Bn
BLT 1/8

VMA-225 Aboard USS ENTERPRISE 65 miles NW JAMAICA

ROOSEVELT ROADS, P. R.

Det HQ MAG-32
VMA-331 (-)
VMF-333 (-)

5TH MEB (TG 129.2) Aboard PHIBGRU-3 - Unit ALPHA, Vieques Area 13-22

BGEN FAIRBOURN

November. Unit BRAVO posit 24 hours sailing time Guantanamo

BLT 1/1	BLT 3/7
BLT 3/1	HMM-361 Aboard IWC JIMA (LPH-2)
BLT 1/7	Det VMO-6 Aboard IWC JIMA (LPH-2)

VMA-121 Reported for OPCON 2D MAW 102305Z Nov. Will deploy to Cecil Field, Jacksonville 14 Nov. Chop to AFLANT 15 Nov.

VMA-223 Chopped in place on West Coast to CINCLANTFLT and CG FMFLANT for possible move to LANTCOM

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LTCOL GRAHAM

BLT 1/2 Aboard PHIBRON-4 in MEDITERRANEAN

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